Maintenance of State Roads

1004. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that State Roads across the country especially in Orissa are in bad state due to lack of proper maintenance, paucity of funds and frequent natural calamities;

(b) if so, whether Government have prepared any action plan to provide assistance to improve conditions of the State roads;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS [MAJ. GEN. (RETD.) B.C. KHANDURI]: (a) This Ministry is primarily responsible for the development and maintenance of National Highways only. The development and maintenance of State Roads and provision of adequate funds for the same are the responsibility of the respective State Government.

(b) The Central Government is providing assistance to the State Governments for development of State Roads through the Central Road Fund.

(c) A statement giving details of accruals for the period 2000-2001 to 2002-2003 and release for the period 2000-01 to 2002-03 (upto June 2002) is annexed. (*See* below)

(d) Does not arise.

Statement

Details of accruals out of Central Road Fund

(Rs. in crore)

Sl. No.	Name of the State/UTs	Total accruals out of CRF/ from 2000-01 to 2002-03	Total funds released out of CRF (upto June 2002)
1	2	3	4
1.	Andhra Pradesh	243.94	125.969
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	32.79	7.4200
3.	Assam	45.21	24.8300

1	2	3	4
4.	Bihar	85.71	16.1100
5.	Chhattisgarh	62.87	37.4500
6.	Goa	11.82	1.3100
7.	Gujarat	206.05	79.7900
8.	Haryana	99.20	31.4100
9.	Himachal pradesh	31.45	10.7044
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	91.62	21.2502
11.	Jharkhand	47.32	6.0700
12.	Karnataka	171.13	50.0100
13.	Kerala	81.54	9.2300
14.	Madhya Pradesh	191.01	50.8205
15.	Maharashtra	313.39	68.3500
16.	Manipur	9.74	2.2200
17.	Meghalaya	13.10	5.7385
18.	Mizoram	8.88	7.9200
19.	Nagaland	7.44	3.3700
20.	Orissa	87.53	9.700
21.	Punjab	124.58	35.7300
22.	Rajasthan	228.37	84.4400
23.	Sikkim	3.29	0.7400
24.	Tamil Nadu	200.68	82.3400
25.	Tripura	5.73	2.0770
26.	Uttaranchal	29.37	8.2000
27.	Uttar Pradesh	272.89	30.5568
28.	West Bengal	108.88	32.5605
29.	A&N Island	5.35	0.5833
30.	Chandigarh	7.60	1.0100
31.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	3.58	0.8134
32.	Daman & Diu	2.52	0.3000
33.	Delhi	85.67	10.6834
34.	Lakshdweep	0.20	0.0233
35.	Pondicherry	6.56	0.9900